

Featured Grant Opportunities

-Congresswoman Jackie Speier-

I am honored to represent the 12th Congressional District of California. As your Representative, I am pleased to provide you with information about **current** funding opportunities available through the federal government. Now more than ever, grant opportunities are vital to the success of our schools, nonprofits, local governments, businesses, and biotechnology and green tech industries.

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Section One: Small Business

Small Business Innovation Research Program Phase I Solicitation FY-2012

Synopsis	Full Announcement	Application
Document Type:	Grants Notice	
Funding Opportunity Number:	11-577	
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary	
Posted Date:	Aug 25, 2011	
Creation Date:	Aug 25, 2011	
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Dec 02, 2011 Full Proposal: 12/02/2011 Proposals submitted outside the window of 11/02/2011 - 12/02/2011 will be returned without review.	
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Dec 02, 2011 Full Proposal: 12/02/2011 Proposals submitted outside the window of 11/02/2011 - 12/02/2011 will be returned without review.	
Archive Date:		
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant	
Category of Funding Activity:	Science and Technology and other Research and Development	
Expected Number of Awards:	100	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$15,000,000	
Award Ceiling:	\$150,000	
CFDA Number(s):	47.041 -- Engineering Grants	
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No	

Eligible Applicants

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concern. Proposing firms are also encouraged to take advantage of research expertise and facilities that may be available to them at colleges, universities, national laboratories, and from other research providers. Such collaborations may include research subcontracts, consulting agreements or the employment of faculty as senior personnel and of graduate or undergraduate students as assistants by the small business. I Limit: The primary employment of the Principal Investigator (PI) must be with the small business concern at the time of the award. A PI must spend a minimum of one calendar month on an SBIR Phase I project and be at least 51% employed by the small business at the time of the award.

Agency Name: National Science Foundation

Description

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Link to Full Announcement: [NSF Publication 11-577](#)

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National Digital Newspaper Program

Synopsis	<u>Full Announcement</u>	<u>Application</u>
Document Type:	Grants Notice	
Funding Opportunity Number:	20120117-PJ	
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary	
Posted Date:	Oct 05, 2011	
Creation Date:	Oct 03, 2011	

Original Closing Date for Applications: Jan 17, 2012

Current Closing Date for Applications: Jan 17, 2012

Archive Date: Feb 16, 2012

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)

Award Ceiling: \$350,000

Award Floor: \$0

CFDA Number(s): 45.149 -- Promotion of the Humanities_Division of Preservation and Access

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Eligible Applicants

State governments, County governments, City or township governments, Special district governments, Public and State controlled institutions of higher education, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized),

Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Private institutions of higher education

Agency Name: National Endowment for the Humanities

Description

NEH is soliciting proposals from institutions to participate in the National Digital Newspaper Program (NDNP). NDNP is creating a national, digital resource of historically significant newspapers published between 1836 and 1922, from all the states and U.S. territories. This searchable database will be permanently maintained at the Library of Congress (LC) and be freely accessible via the Internet. (See the website, *Chronicling America: Historic American Newspapers*.) An accompanying national newspaper directory of bibliographic and holdings information on the website directs users to newspaper titles available in all types of formats. During the course of its partnership with NEH, LC will also digitize and contribute to the NDNP database a significant number of newspaper pages drawn from its own collections. NEH intends to support projects in all states and U.S. territories, provided that sufficient funds allocated for this purpose are available. One organization within each U.S. state or territory will receive an award to collaborate with relevant state partners in this effort. Previously funded projects will be eligible to receive supplements for continued work, but the program will give priority to new projects. Applications that involve collaboration between previously funded and new projects are welcome. Such collaborations might involve, for example, arranging with current awardees to manage the creation and delivery of digital files;

offering regular and ongoing consultation on managing aspects of the project; or providing formal training for project staff at an onsite institute or workshop.

Link to Full Announcement: <http://www.neh.gov/grants/guidelines/ndnp.html>

If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact: National Digital Newspaper Program Division of Preservation and Access Room 411
National Endowment for the Humanities
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Washington, DC 20506
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NINDS SBIR Technology Transfer (SBIR-TT [R43/R44])

Synopsis	Full Announcement	Application
Document Type:	Grants Notice	
Funding Opportunity Number:	PA-11-347	
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary	
Posted Date:	Sep 22, 2011	
Creation Date:	Sep 22, 2011	
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Sep 07, 2014	
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Sep 07, 2014	
Archive Date:	Oct 08, 2014	
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant	
Category of Funding Activity:	Health	
Award Ceiling:	\$150,000	
Award Floor:		
CFDA Number(s):	93.853 -- Extramural Research Programs in the Neurosciences and Neurological Disorders	
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No	

Agency Name: National Institutes of Health

Description

This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) encourages Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) grant applications from small business concerns (SBCs) for projects to transfer technology out of the NIH intramural research labs into the private sector. If selected for SBIR funding, the SBC will be granted a royalty-free, non-exclusive internal research-use license for the term of and within the field of use of the SBIR award to technologies held by NIH with the intent that the SBC will develop the invention into a commercial product to benefit the public.

Link to Full Announcement <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-11-347.html>

SciDAC: Scientific Computation Application Partnerships in Materials and Chemical Sciences

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	DE-FOA-0000593
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Sep 21, 2011
Creation Date:	Sep 21, 2011
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 12, 2012
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 12, 2012
Archive Date:	Jun 30, 2012
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$6,000,000

CFDA Number(s): 81.049 -- Office of Science Financial Assistance Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Eligible Applicants:

Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

Additional Information on Eligibility:

All types of domestic entities are eligible to apply, except other Federal agencies, Federally Funded Research and Development Center (FFRDC) Contractors, and nonprofit organizations described in section 501(c)(4) of the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 that engaged in lobbying activities after December 31, 1995.

Agency Name: Office of Science

Description

The BES SciDAC Partnership portfolio will focus on the development of new algorithms and computational approaches which could dramatically accelerate the discovery of new materials and processes as well as provide fundamental understanding and improvement of current materials and processes. These elements are critical to the recently announced Materials Genome Initiative (www.whitehouse.gov/sites/default/files/microsites/ostp/materials_genome_initiative-final.pdf). Implementing these new algorithms on current and next generation massively parallel computers requires a team approach which includes materials and chemical scientists, applied mathematicians and computer scientists.

Link to Full Announcement: [fedconnect](#)

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Category Explanation:		
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Award Ceiling:	\$150,000	
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No	

Eligible Applicants

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

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Computer and Network Systems (CNS): Core Programs

Synopsis

Full Announcement

Application

Document Type:	Modification to Previous Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	11-555
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Jun 30, 2011
Creation Date:	Jul 29, 2011
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Sep 30, 2013 Submission Windows (due by 5 p.m. proposer's local time): MEDIUM Projects: September 15 - September 30, Annually LARGE Projects: November 1 - November 28, Annually SMALL Projects: December 1 - December 19, Annually
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Sep 30, 2011 See full solicitation for details
Archive Date:	
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Category Explanation:	
Expected Number of Awards:	120
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$60,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$3,000,000
Award Floor:	\$50,000
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No

Eligible Applicants

Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

Agency Name

National Science Foundation

Description

CISE's Division of Computer and Network Systems (CNS) supports research and education projects that develop new knowledge in two core programs: Computer Systems Research (CSR) program; and Networking Technology and Systems (NeTS) program. Proposers are invited to submit proposals in three project classes, which are defined as follows: Small Projects - up to \$500,000 total budget with durations up to three years; Medium Projects - \$500,001 to \$1,200,000 total budget with durations up to four years; and Large Projects - \$1,200,001 to \$3,000,000 total budget with durations up to five years. A more complete description of the three project classes can be found in section II. Program Description of this document. CISE investments in Small, Medium and Large projects complement the directorates investments in the Expeditions in Computing program, where projects are funded at levels of up to \$10,000,000 total for durations up to 5 years.

Link to Full Announcement: [NSF Publication 11-555](#)

Algorithms for Threat Detection

Synopsis	<u>Full Announcement</u>	<u>Application</u>
Document Type:	Grants Notice	
Funding Opportunity Number:	12-502	
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary	
Posted Date:	Oct 20, 2011	
Creation Date:	Oct 20, 2011	
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jan 10, 2012 Full Proposal Deadline(s): January 10, 2012 January 10, Annually Thereafter	
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jan 10, 2012 Full Proposal Deadline(s): January 10, 2012 January 10, Annually Thereafter	
Archive Date:	Jan 14, 2016	
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant	
Category of Funding Activity:	Science and Technology and other Research and Development	
Expected Number of Awards:	20	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$8,000,000	
Award Ceiling:		
Award Floor:		
CFDA Number(s):	47.049 -- Mathematical and Physical Sciences	
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No	

Eligible Applicants: Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity)

Agency Name: National Science Foundation

Description

The Division of Mathematical Sciences (DMS) at the National Science Foundation (NSF) has formed a partnership with the Defense Threat Reduction Agency (DTRA) and the National Geospatial Intelligence Agency (NGA) to develop the next generation of mathematical and statistical algorithms for the detection of chemical agents, biological threats, and threats inferred from geospatial information. This program solicits proposals from the mathematical sciences community in two main thrust areas: mathematical and statistical techniques for genomics, and mathematical and statistical techniques for the analysis of data from sensor systems.

Link to Full Announcement: [NSF Publication 12-502](#)

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Secure and Trustworthy Cyberspace

Synopsis	Full Announcement	Application
Document Type:	Grants Notice	
Funding Opportunity Number:	12-503	
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary	
Posted Date:	Oct 20, 2011	
Creation Date:	Oct 20, 2011	
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jan 11, 2012 Submission Window Date(s) (due by 5 p.m. proposer's local time): January 04, 2012 - January 11, 2012 Small Projects January 12, 2012 - January 25, 2012 Medium Projects February 08, 2012 - February 22, 2012 Frontier Projects	
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jan 11, 2012 Submission Window Date(s) (due by 5 p.m. proposer's local time): January 04, 2012 - January 11, 2012 Small Projects January 12, 2012 - January 25, 2012 Medium Projects February 08, 2012 - February 22, 2012 Frontier Projects	
Archive Date:	Feb 28, 2012	
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant	
Category of Funding Activity:	Science and Technology and other Research and Development	
Expected Number of Awards:	64	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$50,000,000	
Award Ceiling:	\$10,000,000	
Award Floor:		
CFDA Number(s):	47.049 -- Mathematical and Physical Sciences 47.070 -- Computer and Information Science and Engineering 47.075 -- Social, Behavioral, and Economic Sciences 47.080 -- Office of Cyberinfrastructure	
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No	

Eligible Applicants: Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity)

Agency Name: National Science Foundation

Description

Cybersecurity is an important challenge in today's world. Corporations, agencies, national infrastructure and individuals have been victims of cyber-attacks. Addressing this problem requires multi-disciplinary expertise in human, statistical, mathematical, computational, and computer sciences and ultimately the transition of new concepts and technologies to practice. The SaTC program seeks proposals that address cybersecurity from one or more of three perspectives: Trustworthy Computing Systems, Social, Behavioral and Economics, and Transition to Practice, as well as proposals that combine multiple perspectives. Proposers are invited to submit proposals in three project classes, which are defined below: Small projects - up to \$500,000 in total budget, with durations of up to three years Medium projects - \$500,001 to \$1,200,000 in total budget, with durations of up to four years Frontier projects - \$1,200,001 to \$10,000,000 in total budget, with durations of up to five years Projects with Trustworthy Computing Systems and/or Social, Behavioral and Economic perspectives can include an optional Transitions phase, described in a supplemental document of no more than five pages. This phase should describe how successful research results are to be further developed, matured and experimentally deployed in organizations or industries, including in networks and end systems used by members of the NSF science and engineering communities. Proposals for small or medium projects with a Transitions phase can exceed the above-stated maximums up to \$167,000 in the small category and as much as \$400,000 in the medium category.

Link to Full Announcement: [NSF Publication 12-503](#)

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Section Two: Education

Cyberlearning: Transforming Education

Synopsis	Full Announcement	Application
Document Type:	Grants Notice	
Funding Opportunity Number:	11-587	
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary	
Posted Date:	Sep 16, 2011	
Creation Date:	Sep 16, 2011	
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Feb 15, 2012	see full solicitation for details
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Feb 15, 2012	see full solicitation for details
Archive Date:		
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement	
Category of Funding Activity:	Science and Technology and other Research and Development	
Category Explanation:		
Expected Number of Awards:	49	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$36,000,000	

Award Ceiling: \$2,500,000
Award Floor: \$25,000
CFDA Number(s): 47.070 -- Computer and Information Science and Engineering
47.075 -- Social, Behavioral, and Economic Sciences
47.076 -- Education and Human Resources
47.080 -- Office of Cyberinfrastructure
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Eligible Applicants

Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

Agency Name: National Science Foundation

Description

Through the Cyberlearning: Transforming Education program, NSF seeks to integrate advances in technology with advances in what is known about how people learn to better understand how people learn with technology and how technology can be used productively to help people learn, through individual use and/or through collaborations mediated by technology; better use technology for collecting, analyzing, sharing, and managing data to shed light on learning, promoting learning, and designing learning environments; and design new technologies for these purposes, and advance understanding of how to use those technologies and integrate them into learning environments so that their potential is fulfilled. Of particular interest are technological advances that allow more personalized learning experiences, draw in and promote learning among those in populations not served well by current educational practices, allow access to learning resources anytime and anywhere, and provide new ways of assessing capabilities. It is expected that Cyberlearning research will shed light on how technology can enable new forms of educational practice and that broad implementation of its findings will result in a more actively-engaged and productive citizenry and workforce. Cyberlearning awards will be made in three research categories, each focusing on a different stage of research and development: Exploratory (EXP), Design and Implementation (DIP), and Integration and Deployment (INDP). The Cyberlearning program will also support small Capacity-Building Projects (CAP) and a Cyberlearning Resource Center (CRC).

Link to Full Announcement: [NSF Publication 11-587](#)

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Discovery Research K-12

Synopsis	Full Announcement	Application
Document Type:	Grants Notice	
Funding Opportunity Number:	11-588	
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary	
Posted Date:	Sep 16, 2011	
Creation Date:	Sep 16, 2011	
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jan 10, 2012	Letter of Intent Due Date(s) (required) (due by 5

	p.m. proposer's local time): November 17, 2011 October 04, 2012 Full Proposal Deadline(s): January 10, 2012 December 06, 2012
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jan 10, 2012 Letter of Intent Due Date(s) (required) (due by 5 p.m. proposer's local time): November 17, 2011 October 04, 2012 Full Proposal Deadline(s): January 10, 2012 December 06, 2012
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Science and Technology and other Research and Development
Expected Number of Awards:	45
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$40,000,000
CFDA Number(s):	47.076 -- Education and Human Resources
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No

Eligible Applicants

Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

Agency Name: National Science Foundation

Description

The Discovery Research K-12 program (DRK-12) seeks to significantly enhance the learning and teaching of Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) by preK-12 students, teachers, administrators and parents. All DRK-12 projects should be framed around a research question or hypothesis that addresses an important need or topic in preK-12 STEM education. The emphasis in DRK-12 is on research projects that study the development, testing, deployment, effectiveness, and/or scale-up of innovative resources, models and tools. DRK-12 invites proposals that address immediate challenges that are facing preK-12 STEM education as well as those that anticipate a radically different structure and function of pre-K 12 teaching and learning. DRK-12 especially encourages proposals that challenge existing assumptions about learning and teaching within or across STEM fields, envision the future needs of learners, and consider new and innovative ways to support student and teacher learning. DRK-12 is particularly interested in projects that hold promise for identifying and developing the next generation of STEM innovators (NSB, 2010). There are four strands described in detail in the solicitation: 1) Assessment; 2) Learning; 3) Teaching; 4) Scale-up. DRK-12 projects are based on theories of learning, prior research and development. Projects reflect the needs of an increasingly diverse population as well as national, state, or discipline priorities. Outcomes include usable and scalable resources, models, tools, and contributions to the knowledge about STEM teaching and learning. In addition, teachers and students who participate in DRK-12 studies are expected to enhance their understanding and use of STEM content, practices and skills. The DRK-12 program is primarily concerned with the goals and effectiveness of formal education, but recognizes that learning is not limited to formal school environments and times. The program encourages projects to draw from knowledge and practice of learning in out-of-school and informal settings. Most young people and STEM professionals today use powerful technologies in the activities of their everyday lives. New knowledge, new ways of thinking, and new ways of finding and processing information drive our society and economy. Many of the resources, models and tools researched and developed by DRK-12 will provide innovative ways to use current and emerging technologies to transform STEM education. DRK-12 recognizes that outstanding teaching is a critical and integral component of this improvement process. While Strand 3 has a specific focus on resources, models and tools for teacher education and the impact of those models on student learning, projects submitted to the other strands may

also include teacher support materials or professional development components in support of student learning. Projects submitted to the Learning strand might also include the development of assessments related to the specific goals of the project. Some DRK-12 projects focus on a specific STEM discipline or concept, while others have cross-disciplinary, cross-grade level content, but all projects must demonstrate that the content is important from both a disciplinary and learning perspective. Full Research and Development projects are expected to lead to successful dissemination and adoption of findings or products in the preK-12 enterprise at a scale beyond that directly supported by the grant.

Link to Full Announcement: [NSF Publication 11-588](#)

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9th Annual P3 Awards: A National Student Design Competition for Sustainability Focusing on People, Prosperity and the Planet

Synopsis	<u>Full Announcement</u>	<u>Application</u>
Document Type:	Grants Notice	
Funding Opportunity Number:	EPA-G2012-P3-Q1	
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary	
Posted Date:	Oct 02, 2011	
Creation Date:	Oct 02, 2011	
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Dec 22, 2011 Please see Section IV of the announcement for additional due date and submission information.	
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Dec 22, 2011 Please see Section IV of the announcement for additional due date and submission information.	
Archive Date:	Jan 21, 2012	
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant	
Category of Funding Activity:	Environment	
Expected Number of Awards:	45	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$1,050,000	
Award Ceiling:	\$90,000	

Award Floor: \$0

CFDA Number(s): 66.516 -- P3 Award: National Student Design Competition for Sustainability

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Eligible Applicants: Please see Section III of the announcement for eligibility information.

Agency Name: Environmental Protection Agency

Description

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), as part of the P3-People, Prosperity and the Planet Award Program, is seeking applications proposing to research, develop, and design solutions to real world challenges involving the overall sustainability of human society. The P3 competition highlights the use of scientific principles in creating innovative projects focused on sustainability. The P3 Awards program was developed to foster progress toward sustainability by achieving the mutual goals of economic prosperity, protection of the planet, and improved quality of life for its people-- people, prosperity, and the planet -- the three pillars of sustainability. The EPA offers the P3 competition in order to respond to the technical needs of the world while moving towards the goal of sustainability. Please see the P3 website for more details about this program.

Link to Full Announcement

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If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact:

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Electronic Submissions, Todd Peterson, 703-308-7224

Technical Contacts, Cynthia L. Nolt-Helms, 703-347-8102 or Gregory Lank, 703-347-8128

[James Gentry, Todd Peterson, Gregory Lank, Cynthia Nolt Helms](#)

*NOTE: There are six other listings for this competition with Funding Opportunity numbers

EPA-G2012-P3-Q2,3,4,5,6, and 7

Laura Bush 21st Century Librarian Program

Synopsis

[Full Announcement](#)

[Application](#)

Description of Modification

Award ceiling changed to \$500,000.

Document Type:	Modification to Previous Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	L21-FY12
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Sep 23, 2011
Creation Date:	Sep 27, 2011
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Dec 15, 2011
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Dec 15, 2011
Archive Date:	Jan 14, 2012
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Arts (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA) Education Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)
Expected Number of Awards:	150
Award Ceiling:	\$500,000
Award Floor:	\$50,000
CFDA Number(s):	45.313 -- Laura Bush 21st Century Librarian Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes

Eligible Applicants:

An eligible applicant must be: either a unit of state or local government or a private nonprofit organization that has tax exempt status under the Internal Revenue Code; located in one of the fifty states of the United States, the District of Columbia, the Commonwealth of Puerto Rico, Guam, American Samoa, the Virgin Islands, the Commonwealth of the Northern Mariana Islands, the Republic of the Marshall Islands, the Federated States of Micronesia, or the Republic of Palau; and one of the six types of organizations listed below: 1. A library or a parent organization, such as a school district, a municipality, a state agency, or an academic institution, that is responsible for the administration of a library. Eligible libraries include public libraries, elementary and secondary school libraries, college and university libraries, research libraries and archives that are not an integral part of an institution of higher education and that make publicly available library services and materials that are suitable for scholarly research and not otherwise available, and private or special libraries that have been deemed eligible to participate in this program by the state in which the library is located. 2. An academic or administrative unit, such as a graduate school of library and information science, that is part of an institution of higher education through which it would make

application. 3. A digital library, if it makes library materials publicly available and provides library services, including selection, organization, description, reference, and preservation, under the supervision of at least one permanent professional staff librarian. 4. A library agency that is an official agency of a state or other unit of government and is charged by the law governing it with the extension and development of public library services within its jurisdiction. 5. A library consortium that is a local, statewide, regional, interstate, or international cooperative association of library entities that provides for the systematic and effective coordination of the resources of eligible libraries, as defined above, and information centers that work to improve the services delivered to the clientele of these libraries. 6. A library association that exists on a permanent basis, serves libraries or library professionals on a national, regional, state, or local level, and engages in activities designed to advance the well-being of libraries and the library profession. IMLS recognizes the potential for valuable contributions to the overall goals of the Laura Bush 21st Century Librarian Program by public, nonprofit, non-U.S., and for-profit entities that do not meet the eligibility requirements above. Although such entities may not serve as the official applicants, they are encouraged to participate in projects as partners. Federally operated libraries and museums may not apply for the Laura Bush 21st Century Librarian Program grants, but they may serve as nonessential partners to applicants if they do not receive IMLS grant funds as a result of the project. Contact IMLS before submitting a proposal involving a federal agency or federal collection. Other nonfederal entities may serve as partners and may receive IMLS grant funds as a result of the project. Consult with IMLS about any eligibility questions before submitting an application.

Agency Name: Institute of Museum and Library Services

Description

The Laura Bush 21st Century Librarian Program supports projects to recruit and educate the next generation of librarians, faculty, and library leaders; to conduct research on the library profession; and to support early career research. It also assists in the professional development of librarians and library staff. All members of the library community are invited to play an active role in ensuring that the profession is prepared to meet the challenges of the 21st century.

Link to Full Announcement: <http://www.imls.gov/applicants/detail.aspx?GrantId=9>

If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact: Kevin Cherry, Senior Program Officer Phone: 202/653-4662 kcherry@imls.gov

Link to Full Announcement: [NSF Publication 11-577](#)

Innovative Neuroscience K-12 Education (SBIR [R43/R44])

Synopsis	Full Announcement	Application
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Document Type: Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number: PAR-10-154

Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Mar 25, 2010
Creation Date:	Mar 25, 2010
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 04, 2012
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Apr 04, 2012
Archive Date:	May 05, 2012
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Education Environment Health Income Security and Social Services

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No
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Eligible Applicants

Small businesses

Agency Name

National Institutes of Health

Description

Purpose. The NIH Blueprint for Neuroscience Research is a framework to enhance cooperative activities among the NIH Office of the Director and 15 NIH Institutes and Centers that support research on the nervous system (for further information, see <http://neuroscienceblueprint.nih.gov/>). This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is released in affiliation with the Neuroscience Blueprint, with Institutes and Centers participating independently. This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) encourages Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) grant applications from small business concerns (SBCs) that propose to develop innovative neuroscience educational tools to be used by or benefit children in kindergarten through 12th grade (K-12). Educational tools can be designed using any media (e.g., paper, electronic, etc.) or format (e.g., simulations, games, videos, notebooks, etc.) for use in or out of school settings, targeting children in groups or alone, with or without adult or teacher participation. Innovative

neuroscience educational tools should promote neuroscience knowledge acquisition and application of that knowledge to ones own life, promote an interest in neuroscience learning and careers, and present a positive and realistic representation of the diversity of people who engage in neuroscience-related research and occupations. Educational tools targeted to increase the diversity of students (i.e., Native American, Black, Hispanic, female, disabled, or otherwise underrepresented) pursuing neuroscience learning are especially encouraged. Mechanism of Support. This FOA will utilize the SBIR (R43/R44) grant mechanisms for Phase I, Phase II, and Fast-Track applications. Funds Available and Anticipated Number of Awards. Awards issued under this FOA are contingent upon the availability of funds and the submission of a sufficient number of meritorious applications. The total amount awarded and the number of awards will depend upon the quality, duration, and costs of the applications received.

Link to Full Announcement: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-R-10-154.html>

SECTION 3: Environment, Energy Efficiency and Agriculture Related

Specialty Crop Research Initiative

Synopsis	Full Announcement	Application
Document Type:	Grants Notice	
Funding Opportunity Number:	USDA-NIFA-SCRI-003562	
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary	
Posted Date:	Oct 27, 2011	
Creation Date:	Oct 27, 2011	
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jan 31, 2012 Prospective applicants are asked to email a notification of intent to submit an application by close of business on November 25, 2011 (5:00 p.m. Eastern Time).	
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jan 31, 2012 Prospective applicants are asked to email a notification of intent to submit an application by close of business on November 25, 2011 (5:00 p.m. Eastern Time).	
Archive Date:	Mar 01, 2012	
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant	
Category of Funding Activity:	Agriculture Employment, Labor and Training Environment Food and Nutrition Health Natural Resources Science and Technology and other Research and Development	
Award Ceiling:	\$47,300,000	
Award Floor:	\$0	
CFDA Number(s):	10.309 -- Specialty Crop Research Initiative	
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes	

Eligible Applicants

Public and State controlled institutions of higher education, Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Private institutions of higher education, Individuals, For profit organizations other than small businesses, Small businesses, Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility:

For the Specialty Crop Research Initiative, applications may be submitted by Federal agencies, national laboratories, colleges and universities, research institutions and organizations, private organizations or corporations, State agricultural experiment stations, Cooperative Extension Services, individuals, or groups consisting of two or more of these entities.

Agency Name: National Institute of Food and Agriculture

Description

The Specialty Crop Research Initiative (SCRI) was established to solve critical industry issues through research and extension activities. SCRI will give priority to projects that are multistate, multi-institutional, or trans-disciplinary; and include explicit mechanisms to communicate results to producers and the public. Projects must address at least one of five focus areas: research in plant breeding, genetics, and genomics to improve crop characteristics; efforts to identify and address threats from pests and diseases, including threats to specialty crop pollinators; efforts to improve production efficiency, productivity, and profitability over the long term; new innovations and technology, including improved mechanization and technologies that delay or inhibit ripening; and methods to prevent, detect, monitor, control, and respond to potential food safety hazards in the production and processing of specialty crops.

Link to Full Announcement: [Specialty Crop Research Initiative](#)

If you have difficulty accessing the full announcement electronically, please contact: NIFA Help Desk, Phone: 202-401-5048

Ocean Acidification

Synopsis		<u>Full Announcement</u>	<u>Application</u>
Document Type:	Grants Notice		
Funding Opportunity Number:	12-500		
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary		
Posted Date:	Oct 06, 2011		

Creation Date: Oct 06, 2011

Original Closing Date for Applications: Jan 06, 2012 Full Proposal Deadline(s): January 06, 2012
Regular Proposals, Research Coordination Networks (RCN), and
Early-concept Grants for Exploratory Research (EAGER)
proposals

Current Closing Date for Applications: Jan 06, 2012 Full Proposal Deadline(s): January 06, 2012
Regular Proposals, Research Coordination Networks (RCN), and
Early-concept Grants for Exploratory Research (EAGER)
proposals

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Science and Technology and other Research and Development

Expected Number of Awards: 15

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$10,000,000

Award Ceiling: \$2,500,000

CFDA Number(s): 47.050 -- Geosciences
47.074 -- Biological Sciences
47.078 -- Polar Programs

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Eligible Applicants

Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity)

Agency Name: National Science Foundation

Description

The need for understanding the potential adverse impacts of a slowly acidifying sea upon marine ecosystems is widely recognized and included as a priority objective in the new National Ocean Policy. The effects of ocean acidification could significantly affect strategies for developing practices towards the sustainability of ocean resources. Basic research concerning the nature, extent and impact of ocean acidification on oceanic environments in the past, present and future is required. Research challenges include: Understanding the geochemistry and biogeochemistry of ocean acidification; Understanding how ocean acidification interacts with biological and physical processes at the organismal level, and how such interactions impact the structure and function of ecosystems, e.g. through life histories, food webs, biogeochemical cycling, and other interactions; and Understanding how the earth system history informs

our understanding of the effects of ocean acidification on the present day and future ocean. Timely efforts to address these research challenges require fundamental research offered through this solicitation: (1) Regular research proposals, (2) Research Coordination Networks (RCN), and (3) EArly-concept Grants for Exploratory Research (EAGER).

Link to Full Announcement: [NSF Publication 12-500](#)

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Community Food Projects Competitive Grants Program

Synopsis	<u>Full Announcement</u>	<u>Application</u>
Document Type:	Grants Notice	
Funding Opportunity Number:	USDA-NIFA-CFP-003539	
Opportunity Category:	Mandatory	
Posted Date:	Sep 21, 2011	
Creation Date:	Sep 21, 2011	
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Nov 17, 2011	
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Nov 17, 2011	
Archive Date:	Dec 17, 2011	
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant	
Category of Funding Activity:	Agriculture Community Development Food and Nutrition	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$5,000,000	
Award Ceiling:	\$500,000	
Award Floor:	\$0	
CFDA Number(s):	10.225 -- Community Food Projects	
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	Yes	

Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Only private, nonprofit entities meeting the following three requirements are eligible to receive a CFP, PP or TCB grant: (a) have experience in the area of (i) community food work, particularly concerning small and medium-size farms, including the provision of food to people in low-income communities and the development of new markets in low-income communities for agricultural producers; or (ii) job training and business development activities for food-related activities in low-income communities; (b) demonstrate competency to implement a project, provide fiscal accountability, collect data, and prepare reports and other necessary documentation; and (c) demonstrate a willingness to share information with researchers, evaluators, practitioners, and other interested parties, including a plan for dissemination of results.

Agency Name: National Institute of Food and Agriculture

Description

To support: (1) the development of Community Food Projects with a one-time infusion of federal dollars to make such projects self-sustaining; (2) Planning Projects to assess the food security needs and plan long-term solutions to help ensure food security in communities; and (3) a project that provides Training and Capacity Building on a nationwide basis to entities interested in developing new Community Food Projects or assisting current grantees and others to effectively operate their food security projects.

Link to Full Announcement: [Community Food Projects Competitive Grants Program](#)

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Section 4: Health Care and Health Research

Environmental Influences on Stem Cells in Development, Health, and Disease (R21)

Synopsis	<u>Full Announcement</u>	<u>Application</u>
Document Type:	Grants Notice	
Funding Opportunity Number:	RFA-ES-11-010	
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary	
Posted Date:	Sep 21, 2011	
Creation Date:	Sep 21, 2011	
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Nov 28, 2011	
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Nov 28, 2011	
Archive Date:	Dec 29, 2011	
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant	
Category of Funding Activity:	Education Environment Health	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$1,000,000	
Award Ceiling:	\$200,000	
Award Floor:		
CFDA Number(s):	93.113 -- Environmental Health 93.389 -- National Center for Research Resources	
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No	

Eligible Applicants

State governments, County governments, City or township governments, Special district governments, Independent school districts,
Public and State controlled institutions of higher education, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities, Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments),
Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Private institutions of higher education, For profit organizations other than small businesses, Small businesses, Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Other Eligible Applicants include the following: Alaska Native and Native Hawaiian Serving Institutions; Faith-based or Community-based Organizations; Hispanic-serving Institutions; Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs); Indian/Native American Tribal Governments (Other than Federally Recognized); Regional Organizations; Tribally Controlled Colleges and Universities (TCCUs) ; U.S. Territory or Possession; Non-domestic (non-U.S.) Entities (Foreign Institutions) are eligible to apply. Non-domestic (non-U.S.) components of U.S. Organizations are not eligible to apply. Foreign components, as defined in the NIH Grants Policy Statement, are allowed.

Agency Name: National Institutes of Health

Description

The goal of this initiative is to support novel research directions leading to understanding the potential of environmental exposures to alter function, proliferation, survival, and differentiation of stem cells, including embryonic and adult pluripotent and multipotent cells.

Link to Full Announcement: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-ES-11-010.html>

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Environmental Influences on Stem Cells in Development, Health, and Disease (R01)

Synopsis	Full Announcement	Application
Document Type:	Grants Notice	
Funding Opportunity Number:	RFA-ES-11-011	
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary	
Posted Date:	Sep 21, 2011	
Creation Date:	Sep 21, 2011	
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Nov 28, 2011	
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Nov 28, 2011	

Archive Date: Dec 29, 2011
Funding Instrument Type: Grant
Category of Funding Activity: Education
Environment
Health
Estimated Total Program Funding: \$2,500,000
CFDA Number(s): 93.113 -- Environmental Health
93.389 -- National Center for Research Resources
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Eligible Applicants

State governments, County governments, City or township governments, Special district governments, Independent school districts
Public and State controlled institutions of higher education, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized),
Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities, Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments), Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Private institutions of higher education, For profit organizations other than small businesses, Small businesses, Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Other Eligible Applicants include the following: Alaska Native and Native Hawaiian Serving Institutions; Faith-based or Community-based Organizations; Hispanic-serving Institutions; Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs); Indian/Native American Tribal Governments (Other than Federally Recognized); Regional Organizations; Tribally Controlled Colleges and Universities (TCCUs) ; U.S. Territory or Possession; Non-domestic (non-U.S.) Entities (Foreign Institutions) are eligible to apply. Non-domestic (non-U.S.) components of U.S. Organizations are not eligible to apply. Foreign components, as defined in the NIH Grants Policy Statement, are allowed.

Agency Name: National Institutes of Health

Description

The goal of this initiative is to support novel research directions leading to understanding the potential of environmental exposures to alter function, proliferation, survival, and differentiation of stem cells, including embryonic and adult pluripotent and multipotent cells.

Link to Full Announcement: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-ES-11-011.html>

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Lab to Marketplace: Tools for Biomedical and Behavioral Research (SBIR [R43/R44])

Synopsis	Full Announcement	Application
Document Type:	Grants Notice	
Funding Opportunity Number:	PA-11-335	
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary	
Posted Date:	Sep 08, 2011	
Creation Date:	Sep 08, 2011	
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Sep 07, 2014	
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Sep 07, 2014	
Archive Date:	Oct 08, 2014	
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant	
Category of Funding Activity:	Education Food and Nutrition Health	
CFDA Number(s):	93.172, 93.173 93.213 93.361 93.389 93.846 93.847 93.859 93.866	
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No	

Eligible Applicants: Small businesses

Agency Name: National Institutes of Health

Description

This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) encourages the translation of technologies for biomedical or behavioral research from academic and other non-small business research sectors to the marketplace. Small Business Concerns (SBCs) are encouraged to submit Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) grant applications that propose to further develop, make more robust, and make more user-friendly such technologies in preparation for commercial dissemination. It is expected that this activity will require partnerships and close collaboration between the original developers of these technologies and SBCs, which may be accomplished in any of a number of ways, including the use of multiple principle investigators.

Link to Full Announcement: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-11-335.html>

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Interface between Computer Science and Economics & Social Sciences

Synopsis	<u>Full Announcement</u>	<u>Application</u>
Document Type:	Grants Notice	
Funding Opportunity Number:	11-584	
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary	
Posted Date:	Sep 02, 2011	
Creation Date:	Sep 02, 2011	
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Dec 06, 2011 Submission Window Date(s) (due by 5 p.m. proposer's local time): November 21, 2011 - December 06, 2011	
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Dec 06, 2011 Submission Window Date(s) (due by 5 p.m. proposer's local time): November 21, 2011 - December 06, 2011	
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant	
Category of Funding Activity:	Science and Technology and other Research and Development	
Expected Number of Awards:	20	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$6,500,000	
CFDA Number(s):	47.070 -- Computer and Information Science and Engineering 47.075 -- Social, Behavioral, and Economic Sciences	
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No	

Eligible Applicants:

*Organization Limit: Proposals may only be submitted by the following: -Non-profit, non-academic organizations: Independent museums, observatories, research labs, professional societies and similar organizations in the U.S. associated with educational or research activities. -Universities and Colleges - Universities and two- and four-year colleges (including community colleges) accredited in, and having a campus located in the US, acting on behalf of their faculty members. Such organizations also are referred to as academic institutions.

Agency Name: National Science Foundation

Description

The three divisions of CISE and the SES division of SBE seek interdisciplinary research and education projects that develop new knowledge at the Interface between Computer Science and Economics & Social Sciences. Projects should advance knowledge on both sides of the interface. Projects that use known techniques and results from Computer Science or Economics & Social Sciences to advance only one field (either CS or Econ/SS) are not of interest to the program. Proposers are invited to submit proposals in two project classes, which are defined as follows: Small Projects - up to \$400,000 total budget with durations up to three years; and Large Projects - \$400,001 to \$1,000,000 total budget with durations up to four years. A more complete description of the two project classes can be found in section II. Program Description of this solicitation.

Link to Full Announcement: [NSF Publication 11-584](#)

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Healthy Habits: Timing for Developing Sustainable Healthy Behaviors in Children and Adolescents (R01)

Synopsis	<u>Full Announcement</u>	<u>Application</u>
Document Type:	Grants Notice	
Funding Opportunity Number:	PA-11-327	
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary	
Posted Date:	Sep 01, 2011	
Creation Date:	Sep 01, 2011	
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Sep 07, 2014	
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Sep 07, 2014	
Archive Date:	Oct 08, 2014	
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant	
Category of Funding Activity:	Education Food and Nutrition Health Income Security and Social Services	
Award Ceiling:	\$500,000	
CFDA Number(s):	93.213 -- Research and Training in Complementary and Alternative Medicine 93.361 -- Nursing Research 93.837 -- Cardiovascular Diseases Research 93.847 -- Diabetes, Digestive, and Kidney Diseases Extramural Research 93.865 -- Child Health and Human Development Extramural Research	
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No	

Eligible Applicants

State governments, County governments, City or township governments, Special district governments, Independent school districts, Public and State controlled institutions of higher education, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities, Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments), Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Private institutions of higher education, For profit organizations other than small businesses, Small businesses, Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Other Eligible Applicants include the following: Alaska Native and Native Hawaiian Serving Institutions; Eligible Agencies of the Federal Government; Faith-based or Community-based Organizations; Hispanic-serving Institutions; Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs); Indian/Native American Tribal Governments (Other than Federally Recognized); Regional Organizations; Tribally Controlled Colleges and Universities (TCCUs) ; U.S. Territory or Possession; Non-domestic (non-U.S.) Entities (Foreign Institutions) are eligible to apply. Non-domestic (non-U.S.) components of U.S. Organizations are eligible to apply. Foreign components, as defined in the NIH Grants Policy Statement, are allowed.

Agency Name: National Institutes of Health

Description

This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA), issued by the National Institute of Nursing Research (NINR) with participation from the National Heart, Lung, and Blood Institute (NHLBI), the Eunice Kennedy Shriver National Institute of Child Health and Human Development (NICHD), the National Institute of Diabetes and Digestive and Kidney Diseases (NIDDK), the National Center for Complementary and Alternative Medicine (NCCAM), and the Office of Behavioral and Social Sciences Research (OBSSR), is to encourage Research Project Grant (R01) applications that employ innovative research to identify mechanisms of influence and/or promote positive sustainable health behavior(s) in children and youth (birth to age 18). Positive health behaviors may include: developing healthy sleep patterns, developing effective self-regulation strategies, adaptive decision-making in risk situations, practicing proper dental hygiene, eating a balanced and nutritious diet, engaging in age-appropriate physical activity and/or participating in healthy relationships.

Link to Full Announcement: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-11-327.html>

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Causes and Consequences of Cystic Fibrosis Related Diabetes (R01)

Synopsis	Full Announcement	Application
Document Type:	Grants Notice	
Funding Opportunity Number:	RFA-DK-11-025	
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary	
Posted Date:	Oct 05, 2011	
Creation Date:	Oct 05, 2011	
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 20, 2012	
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Mar 20, 2012	

Archive Date:	Apr 20, 2012
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Food and Nutrition Health
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$1,500,000
CFDA Number(s):	93.847 -- Diabetes, Digestive, and Kidney Diseases Extramural Research
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No

Eligible Applicants

State governments, County governments, City or township governments, Special district governments
Independent school districts, Public and State controlled institutions of higher education, Native American
tribal governments (Federally recognized), Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities, Native
American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments), Nonprofits having a
501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education,
Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education,
Private institutions of higher education, For profit organizations other than small businesses, Small
businesses
Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Other Eligible Applicants include the following: Alaska Native and Native Hawaiian Serving Institutions;
Eligible Agencies of the Federal Government; Faith-based or Community-based Organizations; Hispanic-
serving Institutions; Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs); Indian/Native American Tribal
Governments (Other than Federally Recognized); Regional Organizations; Tribally Controlled Colleges
and Universities (TCCUs) ; U.S. Territory or Possession; Non-domestic (non-U.S.) Entities (Foreign
Institutions) are eligible to apply. Non-domestic (non-U.S.) components of U.S. Organizations are eligible
to apply. Foreign components, as defined in the NIH Grants Policy Statement, are allowed.

Agency Name: National Institutes of Health

Description

This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) invites applications for research project grants to study
the causes and consequences of Cystic Fibrosis Related Diabetes (CFRD). CFRD is one of the most
common complications of Cystic Fibrosis (CF) that occurs in almost half the patients with Cystic Fibrosis
as they age. CF patients with CFRD have a higher morbidity and mortality than those who do not develop
CFRD. It is not currently known why some patients develop CFRD although some genetic variants have

been implicated. The mechanisms for the steeper decline in lung disease in patients with CFRD are also not understood. The NIDDK invites applications that study the etiology of CFRD in humans and animal models, as well as studies to understand the mechanisms for the increased morbidity in patients with CFRD.

Link to Full Announcement: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-DK-11-025.html>

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DoD Psychological Health/Traumatic Brain Injury Applied Neurotrauma Research Award

Synopsis	<u>Full Announcement</u>	<u>Application</u>
Document Type:	Grants Notice	
Funding Opportunity Number:	W81XWH-11-PHTBI-ANRA	
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary	
Posted Date:	Oct 05, 2011	
Creation Date:	Oct 05, 2011	
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jan 06, 2012	
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jan 06, 2012	
Archive Date:	Feb 05, 2012	
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement Grant	
Category of Funding Activity:	Science and Technology and other Research and Development	
Expected Number of Awards:	8	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$25,500,000	
CFDA Number(s):	12.420 -- Military Medical Research and Development	

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Eligible Applicants

Unrestricted (i.e., open to any type of entity above), subject to any clarification in text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility"

Agency Name: Dept. of the Army -- USAMRAA

Description

Applied Research is defined as work that refines concepts and ideas into potential solutions with a view toward evaluating technical feasibility of promising new products, pharmacologic agents, behavioral and rehabilitation interventions, diagnostic and therapeutic techniques, clinical guidance, and/or emerging approaches and technologies. Applications may include clinical trials.

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Expanding the Encyclopedia of DNA Elements (ENCODE) in the Human and Model Organisms (U54)

Synopsis	Full Announcement	Application
Document Type:	Grants Notice	
Funding Opportunity Number:	RFA-HG-11-024	
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary	
Posted Date:	Oct 04, 2011	
Creation Date:	Oct 04, 2011	
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Dec 06, 2011	
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Dec 06, 2011	
Archive Date:	Jan 06, 2012	
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement	

Category of Funding Activity: Health

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$23,000,000

CFDA Number(s): 93.172 -- Human Genome Research

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Eligible Applicants

State governments, County governments, City or township governments, Special district governments
Independent school districts, Public and State controlled institutions of higher education, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities, Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments), Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education,
Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Private institutions of higher education, For profit organizations other than small businesses, Small businesses, Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility:

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Agency Name: National Institutes of Health

Description

The Encyclopedia of DNA Elements (ENCODE) and modENCODE Projects have, since their inception, cataloged a significant fraction of the functional elements in the human and well-studied model organism genomes, respectively, and these catalogs are increasingly being used by the research community to expand on basic biological knowledge and to interpret the results of disease-mapping studies. The purpose of this FOA is to solicit applications for research projects to apply high-throughput, cost-efficient approaches to greatly extend these resources toward as complete catalogs as is feasible employing state-of-the-art technologies. The funded projects will participate in a single Research Network that will be a consolidation of the existing ENCODE and modENCODE Research Consortia.

Link to Full Announcement: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-HG-11-024.html>

Computational Analysis of the Encyclopedia of DNA Elements (ENCODE) Data (U01)

Synopsis

Full Announcement

Application

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	RFA-HG-11-025
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Oct 04, 2011
Creation Date:	Oct 04, 2011
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Dec 06, 2011
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Dec 06, 2011
Archive Date:	Jan 06, 2012
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity:	Health
CFDA Number(s):	93.172 -- Human Genome Research
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No

Eligible Applicants

State governments, County governments, City or township governments, Special district governments, Independent school districts, Public and State controlled institutions of higher education, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities, Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments), Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Private institutions of higher education, For profit organizations other than small businesses, Small businesses
Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility:

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Agency Name: National Institutes of Health

Description

The Encyclopedia of DNA Elements (ENCODE) and modENCODE Projects have, since their inception, cataloged a significant fraction of the functional elements in the human and well-studied model organism genomes, respectively. These catalogs are increasingly being used by the research community to expand on basic biological knowledge and to interpret the results of disease-mapping studies. The purpose of this FOA is to solicit applications from researchers outside of the umbrella of the ENCODE Projects to support analysis activities on the ENCODE data. These activities might include developing new methods to improve on analysis and interpretation of ENCODE data, combining ENCODE data with related functional genomic data from other projects to derive new biological insights, or using the ENCODE data to improve on the analysis of disease mapping studies to identify causal variants.

Link to Full Announcement: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-HG-11-025.html>

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Data Analysis and Coordination Center for the Encyclopedia of DNA Elements (ENCODE) (U41)

Synopsis	Full Announcement	Application
Document Type:	Grants Notice	
Funding Opportunity Number:	RFA-HG-11-026	
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary	
Posted Date:	Oct 04, 2011	
Creation Date:	Oct 04, 2011	

Original Closing Date for Applications: Dec 21, 2011

Current Closing Date for Applications: Dec 21, 2011

Archive Date: Jan 21, 2012

Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement

Category of Funding Activity: Health

Expected Number of Awards: 2

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$5,500,000

CFDA Number(s): 93.172 -- Human Genome Research

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Eligible Applicants

State governments, County governments, City or township governments, Special district governments, Independent school districts

Public and State controlled institutions of higher education, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized),

Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities, Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments), Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education,

Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Private institutions of higher education, For profit organizations other than small businesses, Small businesses

Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

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Agency Name: National Institutes of Health

Description

The Encyclopedia of DNA Elements (ENCODE) and modENCODE projects have, over the past eight years, cataloged a significant fraction of the functional elements in the genomes of the human and three well-studied model organisms, and these catalogs are increasingly being used by the research community to expand on basic biological knowledge and to interpret the results of disease-mapping studies. The National Human Genome Research Institute (NHGRI) solicits applications to develop and implement an ENCODE Data Coordination and Analysis Center (EDCAC) as part of the continuation of the ENCODE Project. The EDCAC will have two components: (1) a Data Coordination (DC) component to develop, house, and maintain databases to track, store, and provide access to the data generated by the ENCODE Project, and (2) a Data Analysis (DA) component to coordinate and assist in the integrative analysis of data produced by the ENCODE Consortium.

Link to Full Announcement: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-HG-11-026.html>

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Longitudinal Studies on the Impact of Adolescent Drinking on the Adolescent Brain (Phase II) (U01)

Synopsis	Full Announcement	Application
Document Type:	Grants Notice	
Funding Opportunity Number:	RFA-AA-12-006	
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary	
Posted Date:	Oct 03, 2011	
Creation Date:	Oct 03, 2011	
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jan 18, 2012	
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jan 18, 2012	
Archive Date:	Feb 18, 2012	
Funding Instrument Type:	Cooperative Agreement	
Category of Funding Activity:	Health	

Expected Number of Awards: 1

Estimated Total Program Funding: \$4,000,000

Award Ceiling: \$500,000

CFDA Number(s): 93.242 -- Mental Health Research Grants
93.273 -- Alcohol Research Programs

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Eligible Applicants

State governments, County governments, City or township governments, Special district governments
Independent school districts, Public and State controlled institutions of higher education, Native American
tribal governments (Federally recognized), Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities, Native
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501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education,
Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education,
Private institutions of higher education, For profit organizations other than small businesses, Small
businesses
Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

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serving Institutions; Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs); Indian/Native American Tribal
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Agency Name: National Institutes of Health

Description

The purpose of this Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) is to conduct a multisite longitudinal study
using a cooperative agreement (U01) mechanism to address the following questions: 1) what are the effects
of both long and shorter-term child and adolescent alcohol exposure on the developing human brain; 2)
what is the effect of timing, dose, and duration of alcohol exposure on brain development; 3) to what extent
do these effects resolve or persist; 4) understand how key covariates factor into alcohol's effects on the
brain; and 5) potentially identify early neural, cognitive, and affective markers that may predict alcohol
abuse and dependence and onset or worsening of mental illness during adolescence and/or adulthood.

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Short Courses on Mathematical, Statistical, and Computational Tools for Studying Biological Systems (R25)

Synopsis	<u>Full Announcement</u>	<u>Application</u>
Document Type:	Grants Notice	
Funding Opportunity Number:	PA-11-351	
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary	
Posted Date:	Sep 30, 2011	
Creation Date:	Sep 30, 2011	
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jan 07, 2015	
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jan 07, 2015	
Archive Date:	Feb 07, 2015	
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant	
Category of Funding Activity:	Health	
Award Ceiling:	\$200,000	
CFDA Number(s):	93.859 -- Biomedical Research and Research Training	
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No	

Eligible Applicants

State governments, County governments, City or township governments, Special district governments, Independent school districts, Public and State controlled institutions of higher education, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities, Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments), Nonprofits having a

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Agency Name: National Institutes of Health

Description

This FOA issued by the National Institute of General Medical Sciences encourages applications for Research Education Grants (R25) from institutions and organizations to conduct workshops and short courses to improve integration of mathematical, statistical, and computational approaches into biological and/or behavioral research. Support will be limited to activities that reach a wide audience of researchers. The FOA is NOT intended for university courses or curriculum development.

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Cutting-Edge Basic Research Awards (CEBRA) (R21)

Synopsis

Full Announcement

Application

Document Type:

Grants Notice

Funding Opportunity Number:

PAR-09-222

Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Jun 25, 2009
Creation Date:	Jun 25, 2009
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Dec 21, 2011
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Dec 21, 2011
Archive Date:	Jan 21, 2012
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Education Health
Award Ceiling:	\$125,000
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No

Eligible Applicants

State governments, County governments , City or township governments , Special district governments, Independent school districts, Public and State controlled institutions of higher education, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities, Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments), Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Private institutions of higher education, For profit organizations other than small businesses, Small businesses, Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

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Agency Name

National Institutes of Health

Description

Purpose. The National Institute on Drug Abuse (NIDA) Cutting-Edge Basic Research Award (CEBRA) is designed to foster highly innovative or conceptually creative research related to drug abuse and addiction and how to prevent and treat them. It supports research that is high-risk and potentially high-impact that is underrepresented or not included in NIDA's current portfolio. The proposed research should: (1) test a highly novel and significant hypothesis for which there is scant precedent or preliminary data and which, if confirmed, would have a substantial impact on current thinking; and/or (2) develop or adapt innovative techniques or methods for addiction research, or that have promising applicability to drug abuse research. Mechanism of Support. This FOA will use the NIH Exploratory/Developmental (R21) grant mechanism with modifications. Funds Available and Anticipated Number of Awards. The total anticipated amount to be awarded is \$2.5 M per year, for approximately 14 awards, contingent upon the availability of funds and the submission of a sufficient number of meritorious applications.

Link to Full Announcement: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-R-09-222.html>

Development and Translation of Medical Technologies to Reduce Health Disparities (R43/R44)

Synopsis	Full Announcement	Application
Document Type:	Grants Notice	
Funding Opportunity Number:	RFA-EB-11-001	
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary	
Posted Date:	Mar 11, 2011	
Creation Date:	Mar 11, 2011	
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jan 07, 2012	
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jan 07, 2012	
Archive Date:	Feb 07, 2012	
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant	
Category of Funding Activity:	Education, Health	
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No	

Eligible Applicants

Small businesses

Agency Name

National Institutes of Health

Description

This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) encourages Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR) grant applications from small business concerns (SBCs) that propose to develop and translate medical technologies aimed at reducing disparities in healthcare access and health outcomes. Appropriate medical technologies should be effective, affordable, culturally acceptable, and deliverable to those who need them. Responsive grant applications must involve a formal collaboration with a healthcare provider or other healthcare organization serving a health disparity population during Phase I and Phase II.

Link to Full Announcement <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-EB-11-001.html>

Improving Access to Hearing Health Care (STTR) [R41/R42]

Synopsis	Full Announcement	Application
Document Type:	Grants Notice	
Funding Opportunity Number:	RFA-DC-12-005	
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary	
Posted Date:	Oct 26, 2011	
Creation Date:	Oct 26, 2011	
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Oct 22, 2013	
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Oct 22, 2013	
Archive Date:	Nov 22, 2013	
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant	
Category of Funding Activity:	Health	
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$500,000	
Award Ceiling:	\$100,000	
Award Floor:		
CFDA Number(s):	93.173 -- Research Related to Deafness and Communication Disorders	
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No	

Eligible Applicants: Small businesses

Agency Name: National Institutes of Health

Description

This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) solicits Small Business Technology Transfer (STTR) grant applications from small business concerns (SBCs) that propose the development and translation of technologies to improve hearing healthcare outcomes. Responsive applications must seek to increase utilization of hearing health care technology by underserved patients and thus reduce health disparities.

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National Cancer Institute Program Project (P01) Applications

Synopsis	Full Announcement	Application
Document Type:	Grants Notice	
Funding Opportunity Number:	PAR-12-005	
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary	
Posted Date:	Oct 21, 2011	
Creation Date:	Oct 21, 2011	
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jan 07, 2015	
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jan 07, 2015	
Archive Date:	Feb 07, 2015	
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant	
Category of Funding Activity:	Education Health	
CFDA Number(s):	93.393 -- Cancer Cause and Prevention Research 93.394 -- Cancer Detection and Diagnosis Research 93.395 -- Cancer Treatment Research 93.396 -- Cancer Biology Research 93.399 -- Cancer Control	
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No	

Eligible Applicants

State governments, County governments, City or township governments, Special district governments, Independent school districts
Public and State controlled institutions of higher education, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized) , Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities, Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments), Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Private institutions of higher education, For profit organizations other than small businesses
Small businesses, Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility:

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Agency Name: National Institutes of Health

Description

With this Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA), the National Cancer Institute (NCI) invites applications for investigator-initiated program project (P01) grants. Proposed program projects may address any of the broad areas of cancer research, including (but not limited to) cancer biology, cancer treatment, cancer diagnosis, cancer prevention, and cancer control. Basic, translational, clinical, and/or population-based studies in all of these research areas are appropriate. Each Program Project application must consist of at least three component projects. The component projects must share a common central theme, focus, and/or overall objective.

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Building System Capacity for Implementing Evidence-Based Practices in Substance Abuse Treatment and Prevention (R34)

Synopsis	Full Announcement	Application
Document Type:	Grants Notice	
Funding Opportunity Number:	PA-09-105	
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary	
Posted Date:	Mar 18, 2009	
Creation Date:	Mar 18, 2009	

Original Closing Date for Applications: May 07, 2012

Current Closing Date for Applications: May 07, 2012

Archive Date: Jun 07, 2012

Funding Instrument Type: Grant

Category of Funding Activity: Education
Health

CFDA Number(s): 93.279 -- Drug Abuse and Addiction Research Programs

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Eligible Applicants

State governments, County governments , City or township governments , Special district governments, Independent school districts , Public and State controlled institutions of higher education, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities, Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments), Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Private institutions of higher education, For profit organizations other than small businesses, Small businesses, Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

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Agency Name

National Institutes of Health

Description

Purpose. This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) issued by the National Institute on Drug Abuse, National Institutes of Health, provides resources to facilitate research on the adoption, implementation, and sustainability of evidence-based clinical treatment practices, prevention approaches, and business practices in community-based service delivery settings. It is intended to foster collaboration between service providers and entities that directly influence their capacity to deliver such practices, including Single State

Agencies, other funders, licensing and regulatory bodies, referral sources, educational entities, and other social services agencies that interact with the treatment and prevention systems. Applications are encouraged that will advance the field of implementation science while simultaneously building the capacity of systems and service providers to conduct process improvement research. Applicants may propose to pilot test proven clinical or business practices across service delivery settings, or to study the downstream effect of changes in State or other system-level policies on program capacity to implement evidence-based practices. This FOA encourages collection of preliminary data needed to inform approaches to the eventual scaling-up of selected practices to broader, sustained implementation. Mechanism of Support. This FOA will utilize the R34 grant mechanism.

Link to Full Announcement: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-09-105.html>

Community-Based Partnerships for Childhood Obesity Prevention and Control: Research to Inform Policy (R03)

Synopsis	Full Announcement	Application
Description of Modification		
CFDA 93.837 has been removed. NHLBI is not participating in PA-09-140 (R03).		
Document Type:	Modification to Previous Grants Notice	
Funding Opportunity Number:	PA-09-140	
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary	
Posted Date:	Apr 02, 2009	
Creation Date:	Apr 16, 2009	
Original Closing Date for Applications:	May 07, 2012	
Current Closing Date for Applications:	May 07, 2012	
Archive Date:	Jun 07, 2012	
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant	
Category of Funding Activity:	Education , Health, Income Security and Social Services	
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No		

Eligible Applicants

State governments, County governments, City or township governments, Special district governments, Independent school districts, Public and State controlled institutions of higher education, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities , Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments), Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Private institutions of higher education, For profit organizations other than small businesses, Small businesses, Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

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Agency Name

National Institutes of Health

Description

Purpose. The purpose of this funding opportunity announcement (FOA) issued by the NICHD is to enhance childhood obesity research by fostering the formation of local, state, or regional teams consisting of researchers, policymakers, and other relevant stakeholders (e.g., community representatives, public health practitioners or officials, educators) in order to identify research questions and hypotheses, design and implement the relevant research, and translate the research into evidence relevant to potential policy efforts in this area. The R03 grant mechanism supports different types of projects including pilot and feasibility studies; secondary analysis of existing data; small, self-contained research projects; development of research methodology; and development of new research technology. The R03 is intended to support small research projects that can be carried out in a short period of time with limited resources. **Mechanism of Support.** This FOA will utilize the NIH Small Research Grant (R03) award mechanism and runs in parallel with an FOA of identical scientific scope, PA-09-141, that encourages applications under the NIH Exploratory/Developmental Grant (R21). **Funds Available and Anticipated Number of Awards.** Because the nature and scope of the proposed research will vary from application to application, it is anticipated that the size and duration of each award will also vary. The total amount awarded and the number of awards will depend upon the mechanism numbers, quality, duration, and costs of the applications received **Budget and Project Period** Budgets for direct costs of up to \$50,000 per year and a project duration of up to two years may be requested for a maximum of \$100,000 direct costs over a two-year project period.

Link to Full Announcement: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/pa-files/PA-09-140.html>

Mechanistic Pathways Linking Psychosocial Stress and Behavior (R01)

Synopsis

Full Announcement

Application

Document Type:	Grants Notice
Funding Opportunity Number:	RFA-HL-12-037
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary
Posted Date:	Sep 22, 2011
Creation Date:	Sep 22, 2011
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Dec 19, 2011
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Dec 19, 2011
Archive Date:	Jan 19, 2012
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant
Category of Funding Activity:	Education Environment Food and Nutrition Health Income Security and Social Services
Estimated Total Program Funding:	\$2,000,000
Award Ceiling:	\$325,000
CFDA Number(s):	93.113, 93.121, 93.142, 93.143, 93.172, 93.173, 93.213, 93.242, 93.279, 93.286, 93.307, 93.361, 93.389, 93.393, 93.394, 93.395, 93.396, 93.399, 93.837, 93.838, 93.845, 93.846, 93.847, 93.853, 93.855, 93.856, 93.859, 93.865, 93.866, 93.867, 93.879, 93.989

Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Eligible Applicants

State governments, County governments, City or township governments, Special district governments, Independent school districts, Public and State controlled institutions of higher education, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), Public housing authorities/Indian housing authorities, Native American tribal organizations (other than Federally recognized tribal governments), Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Nonprofits that do not have a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Private institutions of higher education, For profit organizations other than small businesses, Small businesses, Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)

Additional Information on Eligibility:

Other Eligible Applicants include the following: Alaska Native and Native Hawaiian Serving Institutions; Eligible Agencies of the Federal Government; Faith-based or Community-based Organizations; Hispanic-serving Institutions; Historically Black Colleges and Universities (HBCUs); Indian/Native American Tribal Governments (Other than Federally Recognized); Regional Organizations; Tribally Controlled Colleges and Universities (TCCUs) ; U.S. Territory or Possession; Non-domestic (non-U.S.) Entities (Foreign Institutions) are not eligible to apply. Non-domestic (non-U.S.) components of U.S. Organizations are not eligible to apply. Foreign components, as defined in the NIH Grants Policy Statement, are not allowed.

Agency Name: National Institutes of Health

Description

This Funding Opportunity Announcement (FOA) issued by the NIH Basic Behavioral and Social Sciences Opportunity Network (OppNet) solicits Research Project grant (R01) applications from institutions and organizations that propose to investigate basic psychological, social, and environmental mechanisms and processes linking psychosocial stressors and behavior. This FOA will facilitate investigation of multiple and potentially bidirectional pathways underlying the behavioral, environmental, and psychosocial link(s) between psychosocial stressors and behaviors that may ultimately impact biological function, health, and disease. Applicants are encouraged to use innovative and integrative designs to elucidate how psychological, social, and psychosocial environmental factors impact the processes by which stressors become coupled with and influenced by behaviors. Applications examining moderating factors such as individual demographic (age, gender/sex, ethnicity) and psychological (vulnerabilities, resilience) differences, risk factors, timing of exposure to stressors, and environments are desirable. This research will provide a deeper understanding of the psychological, environmental, and social processes that ultimately connect psychosocial stress and behaviors and consequently physiological processes, health, and disease.

Link to Full Announcement: <http://grants.nih.gov/grants/guide/rfa-files/RFA-HL-12-037.html>

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Section 5: Miscellaneous

America's Historical and Cultural Organizations

Synopsis	<u>Full Announcement</u>	<u>Application</u>
Document Type:	Grants Notice	
Funding Opportunity Number:	20120111-GE	
Opportunity Category:	Discretionary	
Posted Date:	Oct 27, 2011	
Creation Date:	Oct 24, 2011	
Original Closing Date for Applications:	Jan 11, 2012	
Current Closing Date for Applications:	Jan 11, 2012	
Archive Date:	Feb 10, 2012	
Funding Instrument Type:	Grant	
Category of Funding Activity:	Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)	
Estimated Total Program Funding:		
Award Ceiling:	\$1,000,000	
Award Floor:	\$0	
CFDA Number(s):	45.164 -- Promotion of the Humanities, Public Programs	
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No	

Eligible Applicants

State governments, County governments, City or township governments, Special district governments, Public and State controlled institutions of higher education, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Private institutions of higher education

Agency Name: National Endowment for the Humanities

Description

NEH offers two categories of grants for America's Historical and Cultural Organizations: planning and implementation grants. Planning grants are available for projects that may need further development before applying for implementation. This planning can include the identification and refinement of the project's main humanities ideas and questions, consultation with scholars, preliminary audience evaluation, preliminary design of the proposed interpretive formats, beta testing of digital formats, development of complementary programming, research, or the drafting of interpretive materials. Sample narratives from successful planning grant applications are available under the Program Resources section on the first of the guidelines. You may request additional samples by sending an e-mail message to publicpgms@neh.gov. Implementation grants support the final preparation of a project for presentation to the public. See

application guidelines for Implementation Grants. Applicants must submit a full walkthrough for an exhibition, or a prototype or storyboard for a digital project, that demonstrates a solid command of the humanities ideas and scholarship that relate to the subject. Applicants for implementation grants should have already finished most of the planning for their projects, including the identification of the key humanities themes, relevant scholarship, and program formats. For exhibitions, implementation grants can support the final stages of design development, but these grants are primarily intended for installation. America's Historical and Cultural Organizations grants support • traveling exhibitions that are presented at multiple venues; • long-term exhibitions at one institution; • interpretive websites or other digital formats; • interpretation of historic places or areas; • reading and discussion programs; • panel exhibitions that incorporate complementary programming formats; and • other project formats that creatively engage audiences in humanities ideas

Link to Full Announcement: <http://www.neh.gov/grants/guidelines/AHCO.htm>

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America's Media Makers

Synopsis	<u>Full Announcement</u>	<u>Application</u>
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Opportunity Category:	Discretionary	
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Funding Instrument Type:	Grant	
Category of Funding Activity:	Humanities (see "Cultural Affairs" in CFDA)	
Estimated Total Program Funding:		
Award Ceiling:	\$1,000,000	
Award Floor:	\$0	
CFDA Number(s):	45.164 -- Promotion of the Humanities_Public Programs	
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement:	No	

Eligible Applicants

State governments, County governments, City or township governments, Special district governments, Public and State controlled institutions of higher education, Native American tribal governments (Federally recognized), Nonprofits having a 501(c)(3) status with the IRS, other than institutions of higher education, Private institutions of higher education

Agency Name: National Endowment for the Humanities

Description

The Division of Public Programs offers support for a wide range of public humanities programs that engage citizens in thoughtful reflection upon culture, identity and history. Projects must be well-grounded in scholarship and illuminate ideas and insights central to the humanities. Grants for America's Media Makers support projects in a range of formats, including interactive digital media and radio and television programs that engage the public in the humanities that explore stories, ideas, and beliefs in order to deepen our understanding of our lives and our world. Projects should encourage dialogue, discussion, and civic engagement, and they should foster learning among people of all ages. To that end, the Division of Public Programs urges applicants to consider more than one format for presenting humanities ideas to the public. Development grants enable media producers to collaborate with scholars to develop humanities content and format and to prepare programs for production. These grants cover a wide range of activities that include, but are not limited to, meetings and individual consultations with scholars, research, preliminary interviews, preparation of program scripts, designs for interactivity and digital distribution, and the creation of partnerships for outreach activities and public engagement with the humanities. Development grants should culminate in the refinement of a project's humanities ideas, and in a script, or a design document for (or a prototype of) digital media components or projects. Development grants should also yield a detailed plan for outreach and public engagement, in collaboration with a partner organization (or organizations). A sample narrative from a successful development grant applications is available under the Program Resources section of the sidebar on the first page of the guidelines of the guidelines. You may request additional samples by sending an e-mail message to publicpgms@neh.gov. Before applying, applicants must have a solid command of the major humanities scholarship on their subject, have clarified the ideas that the project will consider, and have consulted with a team of scholarly advisers to work out the intellectual issues that the program will explore. Applicants must also have made preliminary decisions about the format and storyline and located essential materials for the program(s). Finally, they must have recruited the appropriate media professionals, especially the producer, writer, or interactive designer. Production grants support the production and distribution of digital media projects, radio and television programs, and related programs that promise to engage the public. Applicants must submit a prototype or storyboard for a digital media project, or a script for a radio or television program, that demonstrates a solid command of the humanities ideas and scholarship related to a subject. Some production grant projects are designated as Chairman's Special Award projects. These projects are more complex and would be of compelling interest to the general public; they have the capacity to examine important humanities ideas in new ways and promise to reach large audiences. These goals can often be accomplished through combining a variety of program formats, forming creative collaborations among diverse institutions, and expanding the scope and reach of a project. Note that the Chairman's Special Award is offered only at the production stage, but not at the development stage. See application guidelines for Production Grants.

Link to Full Announcement: <http://www.neh.gov/grants/guidelines/AMM.htm>

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Neighborhood Stabilization Program

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Original Closing Date for Applications: Nov 21, 2011
Current Closing Date for Applications: Nov 21, 2011
Archive Date: Nov 28, 2011
Funding Instrument Type: Cooperative Agreement
Category of Funding Activity: Community Development
Housing
Estimated Total Program Funding: \$20,000,000
Award Ceiling:
Award Floor:
CFDA Number(s): 14.264 -- Neighborhood Stabilization Program
Cost Sharing or Matching Requirement: No

Eligible Applicants: Others (see text field entitled "Additional Information on Eligibility" for clarification)
Additional Information on Eligibility:

Eligible applicants are State or unit of general local government; public housing authority, public or private nonprofit organization or intermediary, including institutions and area-wide planning organizations; or Indian Tribes, for profit organizations, a combination of any of the above applying together in a joint application.

Agency Name: Department of Housing and Urban Development

Description

The purpose of NSP TA is to provide state government, local government and nonprofit recipients of federal NSP funding with the assessment tools and technical and capacity building assistance needed to fully understand their local market conditions, to increase their capacity to successfully carry out federal assistance programs while leveraging other public and private resources, and to achieve positive and measurable outcomes. Under NSP TA, technical assistance will involve the delivery of expert statutory, regulatory, and technical support that improves the program knowledge, skills and capacity of NSP grantees and their partners. Capacity building efforts will be directed at advancing the efficiency and performance of grantees and their partners (e.g., for-profit and public or private non-profit organizations) in the administration of NSP, the leveraging of other resources and the furthering of key Departmental objectives, including, but not limited to, energy efficiency and green building.

Link to Full Announcement: [APPLICATION AND INSTRUCTIONS DOWNLOAD USING CFDA NUMBER ONLY.](#)

RECENT GRANT AWARDED LOCALLY

Grant for **\$200,000** for each of the next three years was awarded to Star Vista for **Your House South** facility in Redwood City from the Department of Health and Human Services Administration on Children, Youth and Families. The facility focuses on extensive counseling families with youth 10 to 17 so that the youth may eventually be reunified with their families. Congratulations!